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1. During the period 25 March through 24 April 1951, the following military freight traffic passed through Frankfurt/Oder - westbound (usually attached to regularly scheduled freight trains):

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Destination

No. of Type of Cargo
Cars Cars

25 March

25X1C 26 March

Frankfurt/Oder

4 box

Strausberg

18 box

Ammunition

Müllrose

6 box

Ammunition

Müllrose

3 box

Ammunition

Jessen

14 box

Ammunition

Frankfurt/Oder

2 box

--

Jüterbog

8 box

Ammunition

27 March

Velten

47 tank

Gasoline

Finow

22 flat)

--

5 box)

28 March

Jüterbog

1 box

Ammunition

Frankfurt/Oder

5 box

Ammunition

Velten

6 tank

Gasoline

Velten

2 tank

Gasoline

Velten

4 tank

Gasoline

Velten

34 tank

Gasoline

29 March

Müllrose

6 box

Ammunition

Ketschendorf

2 box

--

Bad Saarow

2 box

--

Bad Saarow

1 box

--

Jessen

1 box

Ammunition

Velten

2 box

--

Müllrose

3 box

--

Velten

8 tank

Gasoline

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| Date | Destination | No. of Cars | Type of Cars | Cargo |
|----------|----------------------|-------------|--------------|---------------------|
| 25X1C | | | | |
| 31 March | Potsdam | 1 | box | -- |
| 25X1C | Müllrose | 10 | box | -- |
| 25X1C | Finow | 4 | box | -- |
| | Frankfurt/Oder | 1 | box | -- |
| | Chemnitz | 30 | flat | Iron pipe & sheet |
| 1 April | | | | |
| 2 April | Altenhain | 1 | box | Ammunition |
| | Lamitzsch | 1 | box | Ammunition |
| | Altengrabow | 2 | box | Ammunition |
| | Strausberg | 3 | box | Ammunition |
| | Finow | 1 | box | Ammunition |
| | Velten | 4 | box | Ammunition |
| | Jüterbog | 4 | box | Ammunition |
| | Frankfurt/Oder | 1 | box | Ammunition |
| | Fürstenwalde | 4 | flat | Truck with crane |
| | Blm-Friedrichshafen | 2 | box | -- |
| | Velten | 9 | box | -- |
| | Velten | 10 | tank | Gasoline |
| | Velten | 10 | tank | Gasoline |
| | Velten | 10 | tank | Gasoline |
| 3 April | Eberswalde | 6 | box | -- |
| | Wulkow | 5 | box | Ammunition |
| | Lamitzsch | 7 | box | Ammunition |
| | Chemnitz | 18 | flat | Iron pipes & sheets |
| 4 April | Ketschendorf | 16 | flat | Airplanes |
| | Köthen | 16 | flat | Airplanes |
| | Rathenow | 2 | flat | Automobiles |
| 25X1C | Velten | 9 | tank | Gasoline |
| | Velten | 2 | tank | Gasoline |
| | Velten | 3 | tank | Gasoline |
| 5 April | | | | |
| 6 April | Jüterbog | 1 | box | -- |
| 25X1C | Finow | 1 | box | -- |
| 7 April | Ketschendorf | 3 | box | -- |
| | Jüterbog | 1 | box | -- |
| | Fürstenberg/Mecklbg. | 22 | box | -- |
| | Jüterbog | 22 | box | -- |
| 8 April | Velten | 3 | tank | Gasoline |
| | Jüterbog Altes Lager | 13 | box | Ammunition |
| 9 April | Müllrose | 2 | box | Ammunition |
| | Wildau | 1 | box | Ammunition |
| | Jessen | 10 | box | Ammunition |
| | Chemnitz | 25 | flat | Iron pipe & sheet |
| 10 April | Jüterbog | 14 | box | Ammunition |
| | Jüterbog | 10 | box | Ammunition |
| | Müllrose | 1 | box | Ammunition |
| | Velten | 3 | tank | Gasoline |
| 11 April | Jessen | 4 | box | Ammunition |
| | Chemnitz | 14 | flat | Iron pipe & sheet |
| | Müllrose | 6 | box | Ammunition |
| 12 April | | | | |
| 13 April | Strausberg | 6 | flat | Automobiles |
| | Altengrabow | 1 | box) | -- |
| | | 2 | flat) | |
| 14 April | | | | |

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| <u>Date</u> | <u>Destination</u> | <u>No. of Cars</u> | <u>Type of Cars</u> | <u>Cargo</u> |
|-------------|--------------------|--------------------|---------------------|-------------------|
| 15 April | Velten | 5 | box | -- |
| | Frankfurt/Oder | 3 | box | -- |
| | Frankfurt/Oder | 4 | box | -- |
| | Frankfurt/Oder | 2 | box | -- |
| | Wildau | 2 | box | -- |
| | Jüterbog | 2 | box | -- |
| | Blm-Rummelsburg | 3 | box | -- |
| | Frankfurt/Oder | 5 | box | -- |
| | Müllrose | 21 | box | Ammunition |
| 16 April | | | | |
| 17 April | | | | |
| 18 April | Fürstenwalde | 2 | box | -- |
| | Kirchmöser | 1 | box | -- |
| | Jessen | 4 | box | Ammunition |
| | Ketschendorf | 3 | box | -- |
| | Jüterbog | 3 | box | -- |
| | Kirchmöser | 2 | box | -- |
| | Kirchmöser | 2 | box | -- |
| | Wildau | 2 | box | -- |
| | Chemnitz | 40 | flat | Iron pine & sheet |
| 19 April | | | | |
| 20 April | Frankfurt/Oder | 8 | box | -- |
| | Frankfurt/Oder | 4 | box | -- |
| | Velten | 18 | tank | Gasoline |
| | Velten | 3 | tank | Gasoline |
| 21 April | | | | |
| 22 April | Velten | 15 | tank | Gasoline |
| 23 April | Fürstenwalde | 3 | box | -- |
| | Bernau | 5 | box | -- |
| | Straussberg | 1 | box | -- |
| | Frankfurt/Oder | 1 | box | -- |
| | Frankfurt/Oder | 6 | box | -- |
| 24 April | Straussberg | 4 | flat) | -- |
| | | 2 | box) | |
| | Altengrabow | 12 | box | Ammunition |
| | Kanen | 10 | box | Ammunition |

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22 April

23 April

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24 April

2. During the period 25 March through 24 April 1951, the following reparations shipments passed through Frankfurt/Oder to the U.S.S.R.: *

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| <u>Date</u> | <u>Shipping Station</u> | <u>Cargo</u> |
|-------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|
| 25 March | Grosskorbetha | Wood spirits |
| | Ammendorf und Dessau | New refrigerator cars |
| | Schneeberg | Ore |
| | Stralsund | Prefabricated houses |
| | Leipzig und Sömmerda | Prefabricated houses |
| | -- | empty flat cars |
| | -- | empty flat cars |
| | -- | empty flat cars |
| 26 March | -- | empty box cars |
| | -- | empty box cars |
| | -- | empty flat cars |
| | -- | empty flat cars |
| | -- | empty refrigerator cars |
| | Dessau | New refrigerator cars |
| | Merseburg | Igelit |
| | Weimar | New refrigerator cars |
| | Niederschlema | Ore |

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| <u>Date</u> | <u>Shipping Station</u> | <u>Cargo</u> |
|----------------------|---|--|
| 26 March (con't.) | Böhlen Niesky -- | Gasoline Prefabricated houses empty flat cars |
| 27 March | -- -- -- Piesteritz -- Böhlen -- -- Klosterfelde Berlin -- | empty box cars empty flat cars empty flat cars Carbide empty box cars Gasoline empty flat cars empty box cars Prefabricated houses Prefabricated houses empty refrigerator cars |
| 28 March | Johanngeorgenstadt -- -- Bad Suderode -- Magdeburg -- -- Böhlen -- Dessau -- Böhlen | Ore empty box cars empty flat cars Machines empty box cars Insulators and machines empty refrigerator cars empty flat cars Gasoline empty flat cars New refrigerator cars empty refrigerator cars Gasoline |
| 29 March | -- -- -- Wiederitzsch -- Merseburg -- -- Olbernhau Leipzig Eisenberg | empty flat cars empty refrigerator cars empty box cars Earthenware empty refrigerator cars Machines empty box cars empty flat cars Prefabricated houses Books Prefabricated houses |
| 30 March | Böhlen Piesteritz Piesteritz Drewitz Merseburg Aue -- -- -- -- -- | Gasoline Carbide Carbide Machines Paraldehyde Ore empty box cars empty box cars empty flat cars empty flat cars empty flat cars |
| 31 March | Dessau Dessau Dessau Merseburg -- Piesteritz Böhlen -- -- | New refrigerator cars New refrigerator cars New refrigerator cars Benzol empty flat cars Carbon black Gasoline empty refrigerator cars empty flat cars |

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DateShipping StationCargo

1 April

Ammendorf

New refrigerator cars

--

empty box cars

Johanngeorgenstadt

Ore

--

empty flat cars

--

empty flat cars

Bitterfeld

Insulators

--

empty flat cars

2 April

Niederschlema

Ore

--

empty flat cars

--

empty box cars

Weimar

New refrigerator cars

--

empty refrigerator cars

Aue

Ore

--

empty refrigerator cars

--

empty gondolas

--

empty gondolas

3 April

Weimar

New refrigerator cars

Bitterfeld

Alcohol

Aue

Machines

Böhlen

Gasoline

--

empty box cars

--

empty flat cars

--

empty refrigerator cars

4 April

--

empty refrigerator cars

--

empty flat cars

Piesteritz

Chemicals

--

empty box cars

Ammendorf

New refrigerator cars

--

empty flat cars

Piesteritz

Agricultural machinery

--

empty refrigerator cars

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5 April

Böhlen

Gasoline

--

empty flat cars

--

empty box cars

--

empty flat cars

--

empty flat cars

Piesteritz

Agricultural machinery

--

empty refrigerator cars

--

empty refrigerator cars

6 April

--

empty box cars

--

empty refrigerator cars

--

empty gondolas

--

empty gondolas

Stassgräbchen (sic)

Prefabricated houses

Merseburg

Acetic acid

Niederschlema

Ore

7 April

Merseburg

Paraldehyde

Aue

Ore

--

empty gondolas

--

empty gondolas

--

empty refrigerator cars

Bitterfeld

Chemicals

--

empty box cars

Wolgast

Prefabricated houses

--

empty box cars

8 April

Piesteritz

Machines

Gotha/Ost

Prefabricated houses

--

empty box cars

--

empty box cars

--

empty gondolas

--

empty gondolas

--

empty refrigerator cars

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| <u>Date</u> | <u>Shipping Station</u> | <u>Cargo</u> |
|-------------|---|---|
| 9 April | -- -- -- -- Grosskorbetha Klosterfelde | empty flat cars empty gondolas empty gondolas empty refrigerator cars Wood spirits Prefabricated houses |
| 10 April | Piesteritz Merseburg -- -- -- -- -- -- -- | Carbide Paraldehyde empty gondolas empty gondolas empty flat cars empty box cars empty box cars empty refrigerator cars empty refrigerator cars |
| 11 April | Weimar -- Piesteritz Böhlen Böhlen -- -- -- -- | New refrigerator cars empty box cars Carbide, carbon black Gasoline Gasoline empty flat cars empty gondolas empty gondolas empty box cars |
| 12 April | Annaberg -- -- -- -- -- -- | Ore empty refrigerator cars empty flat cars empty box cars empty box cars empty gondolas empty gondolas empty refrigerator cars |
| 13 April | Dessau Sömmerda Bitterfeld Piesteritz Niederschlema -- -- -- -- -- -- -- | New refrigerator cars Prefabricated houses Insulators Machines Ore empty box cars empty box cars empty box cars empty flat cars and empty refrigerator cars empty gondolas empty refrigerator cars |
| 14 April | -- -- -- -- -- -- Bitterfeld Merseburg | empty flat cars empty box cars empty box cars empty box cars empty refrigerator cars empty gondolas Carbide Benzol |
| 15 April | -- -- -- -- -- -- Dessau Werbig Aue | empty flat cars empty refrigerator cars empty box cars empty flat cars empty box cars empty gondolas empty box cars New refrigerator cars Prefabricated houses Ore |

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| Date | Shipping Station | Cargo |
|----------|-------------------|----------------------------|
| 16 April | -- | empty gondolas |
| | -- | empty box cars |
| | -- | empty box cars |
| | -- | empty box cars |
| | -- | empty flat cars |
| | -- | empty flat cars |
| | Görlitz | New passenger cars (D-Zug) |
| | Merseburg | Carbide |
| | Görlitz | New passenger cars (D-Zug) |
| 17 April | -- | empty gondolas |
| | -- | empty flat cars |
| | -- | empty box cars |
| | -- | empty flat cars |
| | -- | empty box cars |
| | -- | empty box cars |
| | -- | empty box cars |
| | -- | empty gondolas |
| | Wolgast | Prefabricated houses |
| | Dessau | New refrigerator cars |
| | Wiederitzsch | Military freight |
| 18 April | -- | empty box cars |
| | -- | empty gondolas |
| | -- | empty flat cars |
| | -- | empty flat cars |
| | -- | empty gondolas |
| | -- | empty box cars |
| | -- | empty box cars |
| | Dessau | New refrigerator cars |
| | Gera | Ore |
| | Böhlen | Gasoline |
| | Altengrabow | Military freight |
| | Wolgast | Prefabricated houses |
| 19 April | -- | empty box cars |
| | -- | empty gondolas |
| | -- | empty box cars |
| | -- | empty flat cars |
| | -- | empty flat cars |
| | -- | empty box cars |
| | Grosskorbetha | Wood spirits |
| | Dessau and Weimar | New refrigerator cars |
| | Böhlen | Gasoline |
| | Annaberg | Ore |
| | St. Egidien | Prefabricated houses |
| 20 April | -- | empty flat cars |
| | -- | empty flat cars |
| | -- | empty box cars |
| | -- | empty box cars |
| | -- | empty gondolas |
| | -- | empty gondolas |
| | -- | empty box cars |
| | Leipzig | Machines |
| | Bitterfeld | Wood spirits |
| | Plesteritz | Machines |
| | Magdeburg | Machines |
| 21 April | -- | empty flat cars |
| | -- | empty flat cars |
| | -- | empty refrigerator cars |
| | -- | empty box cars |
| | -- | empty box cars |
| | Dessau | New refrigerator cars |
| | Plesteritz | Carbide |
| | Güsten | Prefabricated houses |
| | Lössnig (sic) | Prefabricated houses |
| 22 April | -- | empty gondolas |
| | -- | empty box cars |
| | -- | empty box cars |

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| Date | Shipping Station | Cargo |
|----------------------|----------------------|--|
| 22 April (con't.) | -- | empty refrigerator cars |
| | -- | empty flat cars |
| | -- | empty flat cars |
| | -- | empty box cars |
| | Ammendorf and Weimar | New passenger and new refrigerator cars |
| 23 April | Niederschlema | Ore |
| | Königswusterhausen | Military freight |
| | -- | -- |
| 23 April | -- | empty gondolas |
| | -- | empty gondolas |
| | -- | empty flat cars |
| | -- | empty box cars |
| | -- | empty box cars |
| | -- | empty box cars |
| | -- | empty box cars |
| | -- | empty refrigerator cars |
| | Piesteritz | Carbide and pines |
| | Weimar | New refrigerator cars |
| Aue | Ore | |

3. On the dates indicated below, the following local military rail traffic was noted:**

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| Date | From | To | No. of cars | Cargo |
|----------|--------------|--------------|-----------------------|--|
| 10 April | Frankfurt | Jüterbog | 11 box 25 25 flat) | Automobiles and personnel |
| 14 April | Frankfurt | Lieberose | 23 SSy-flat 6 box | Empty |
| 15 April | Frankfurt | Erfurt | 11 box | -- |
| 18 April | Frankfurt | Lieberose | 29 cars | Tanks and personnel |
| 19 April | Frankfurt | Erfurt | 13 cars | -- |
| 20 April | Frankfurt | Chemnitz | 6 cars | -- |
| | Frankfurt | Pfaffendorf | 2 cars | -- |
| | Frankfurt | Meinsdorf | 3 cars | -- |
| | Templin | Frankfurt | -- | Empty |
| | Wildpark | Frankfurt | 5 cars | Field kitchens |
| | Lieberose | Frankfurt | 29 cars | Tanks and personnel |
| 21 April | Wildpark | Frankfurt | 8 cars | -- |
| | Lieberose | Frankfurt | 27 cars | Tanks and personnel |
| | Berlin | Frankfurt | 1 car | -- |
| | Erfurt | Frankfurt | 3 cars | -- |
| | Lieberose | Frankfurt | 27 cars | Tanks and personnel |
| | Lieberose | Frankfurt | 4 cars | -- |
| | Wildpark | Frankfurt | 5 cars | -- |
| 22 April | Lieberose | Frankfurt | 26 cars | Tanks and personnel |
| 23 April | Lieberose | Frankfurt | 32 cars | Automobiles, personnel and ammunition |
| | Erfurt | Frankfurt | 13 cars | -- |
| | Lieberose | Frankfurt | 21 flat) 6 box } | Tanks and personnel |
| | Brandenburg | Frankfurt | 21 flat) 5 box } | Empty |
| | Fürstenwalde | Lieberose | 21 flat) 5 box } | Tanks and personnel |
| | Lieberose | Fürstenwalde | -- | Empty |
| | Fürstenwalde | Lieberose | 22 flat) 5 box } | Tanks and personnel |
| 24 April | Lieberose | Fürstenwalde | -- | Empty |
| 25 April | Fürstenwalde | Lieberose | 22 flat) 5 box } | Tanks and personnel |

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* Comment:

25X1A Reparations trains to the U.S.S.R. are 120 axles in length, each axle supporting approximately seven and one-half tons. The trains made up of new passenger cars, and new refrigerator cars were of varying length and no record of the number of cars

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**  Comment:

These cars left Frankfurt/Oder for the destination indicated. Their origin is not necessarily outside the DDR. They probably arrived at Frankfurt/Oder as part of the intra-domain movements and were dropped at the yards for switching.

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